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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

H. Deboer et al.

Serial No.: 08/476,798

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For: PRODUCTION OF RECOMBINANT

POLYPEPTIDES BY BOVINE SPECIES AND TRANSGENIC

**METHODS** 

Examiner:

Art Unit:

Preliminary Amendment and Request for Interference under

37 CFR §1.604.

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 1-3 and 5-20 without prejudice.

Please add the following claim:

98. An isolated cDNA sequence comprising the region of the cDNA sequence of Fig. 1 (SEQ. ID. No. 1) encoding mature human lactoferrin protein.

## Remarks

This application is a continuation of 08/154,019, filed November 16, 1993, which is a continuation-in-part of USSN 08/077,788, filed June 15, 1993, which is a continuation-in-part of USSN 07/898,956, filed June 15, 1992, which is a continuation-

